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NEW DIRECT LAMINATED FLOOR.

which is described and claimed in the attached application, or Serial No. _____ filed _____ as amended to date; I have reviewed and understand the contents of the specifications and claims with all the above-mentioned amendments thereto, if any. I acknowledge my duty to disclose information of which I am aware which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with 37 CFR 1.56; and, if the benefit of 35 U.S.C. 120 is claimed below, as to subject matter of the claims not disclosed in any prior U.S. application in accordance with 35 U.S.C. 112; I acknowledge my duty to disclose material information known to me occurring between the filing date of said prior U.S. application and this application; the benefit of 35 U.S.C. 120 is claimed for

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Please correct the Notice of Recordation attached hereto to reflect the correct name of the Assignee. The correct name of the Assignee is:

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Respectfully submitted,

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By Donald C. Lucas
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Assignment

In Consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and of other good and valuable consideration paid to the undersigned by the Assignee,

INDUSTRIAS AUXILIARES FAUS, S.L.

a corporation organized under the laws of SPAIN
receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned by these presents hereby sold, assigned, transferred and set over unto the said assignee the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention or improvement in

NEW DIRECT LAMINATED FLOOR.

said invention being fully described and/or claimed in the application for Letters Patent of the United States of America 1) executed this date, or 2) Serial No. _____
filed _____ in and for the United States and all foreign countries, the same to be held and enjoyed by said assignee, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, to the full ends of the terms for which all Letters Patent therefor may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the undersigned if this assignment and sale had not been made.

And Said Assignee is Hereby Authorized to make application for and to receive Letters Patent for said invention in any of said countries at its election.

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FOR: NEW DIRECT LAMINATED FLOOR

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The undersigned representative of Industrias Auxiliares Faus, S.L. owner of the above- identified application, hereby revokes any and all previous Powers of Attorney and appoints Song K. Jung, Reg. No. 35,210; Kenneth D. Springer, Reg. No. 39843; Rebecca A. Goldman, Reg. No. 41,786 and John M. Kelly, Reg. No. 33,920, as Assignee's attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute said patent application, receive any Letters Patent and to take any and all other actions with regard to this patent application and any Letters Patent issuing thereon, and request that all correspondence be sent to:

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